

## THE TOY STORE

If you want to see the finest and most complete line of Toys in Eastern Connecticut, visit our Basement. There are Iron Toys, Wooden Toys, and all the latest novelties in Mechanical Toys. In fact, every kind of Toy imaginable is included in our holiday showing.



## Jewelry For Gifts

Our Jewelry Department has been removed to the Dress Goods room for the holidays, where, in the enlarged space, we are showing a very complete line of Jewelry for gift purposes. There are hundreds of articles of personal adornment for men, women and children, all at popular prices. Make it a point to visit our Jewelry Department and see the splendid showing we make.

## The Book Store

The Book Store is now located in the Millinery Section. There are hundreds of Books for gift purposes, including Books for boys, for girls, for adults. Every noted Book of recent publication is now in stock, as well as a dainty assortment of Gift Books, in appropriate and tasteful bindings.

## Xmas Cards Calendars

The biggest display and best selection of Christmas Cards and Calendars in Norwich. The assortment includes Christmas Post Cards, Christmas Cards, Booklets and Calendars, all at popular prices. It is wise to select your Christmas Cards now, while our stock is complete.

## Games For Gifts

Hundreds of Games, in scores of different kinds. Games for the children, of course, but amongst them are many games that will afford fun and pastime for the staid and conservative older folks in every home. This year there are many brand new games, shown this season, and at this store for the first time.

## Gift Stationery

Stationery makes a useful and acceptable holiday gift for a grown person or for children. We carry a large line of the best kinds of Stationery, including Eaton, Crane & Pike's Stationery, at prices that are 15 to 33 1/3 per cent. less than today's values.

## Gift Goods of Leather

For Gift purposes, Leather Goods are unexcelled. We show an immense stock of Leather Goods suitable for gifts—a great number of articles and a wide diversity of styles. Included in our showing are: Bags of all kinds, Pocketbooks, Music Rolls, Card Cases, Needle Cases, Work Baskets, Suit Cases, Traveling Bags, Etc.

## Gift Toilet Goods

Toilet Goods in Christmas packages—a complete line of the best known brands, including Mary Garden, Djer-Kiss, Melba, Vantine's, Hudnut's Mavis, Colgate, Etc.—all in attractive holiday packages. The assortment includes Perfumes, Toilet Waters and Sachet—in a wide range of styles and prices to suit every purse.

## Give Religious Articles

Religious articles are gifts that are very much appreciated and the assortment includes Crucifixes, gold or silver-plated; Candlesticks, gold or silver-plated; Rosary Beads in all colors, 5 to 20-year guarantee; Prayer Books for men, women and children.

## Thermos Bottles For Gifts

Thermos Bottles make useful and acceptable holiday gifts. We show a complete range of Thermos articles, including Bottles, Lunch Kits, Jars and Carafes. If you are considering anything in the Thermos products, you'll find our stock complete.

## Gifts For Boys

In our Boys' Department you will find the answer to the question "What to get for a boy". Boys' Caps of all kinds, Boys' Blouses, Boys' Sweaters, Boys' Raysters, Boys' Suits, Overcoats and Trousers. Not only will you find complete assortments of all these lines, but best of all, the values are unequalled.

## Gifts For Housewives

On our Third Floor will be found many articles of utility for housewives—Christmas gifts that women will appreciate, both useful and ornamental. The list includes Carpet Sweepers, Vacuum Sweepers, Cedar Chests, Matting Boxes, Sewing Machines, Table Runners, Couch Covers, Pillows, Rugs and Curtains of all descriptions.

## Waist Patterns For Gifts

We make an excellent showing of Silks for Waistings, both washable and fancy, in the newest colorings and designs, making a pleasing and practical gift for a woman. During the holiday season all our Silk Waist Patterns and Dress Patterns will be boxed free of charge if desired.

## Give Useful Gifts

In our Wash Goods Department, in Basement, you will find a number of useful gifts, including Waist and Dress Patterns of Percale, in special holiday boxes. Also a very complete showing of Dress Gingham and Bath Robe Flannel in newest designs and colorings. All Waist and Dress Patterns will be put up in holiday boxes if desired.

## Gloves For Gifts

Gifts of Gloves are sure to give satisfaction and doubly sure to do so if selected here. Our unequalled stock of Gloves for men, women and children includes every wanted kind and quality of Gloves—all at fair prices.

## The Porteous &amp; Mitchell Co.

# Christmas Shopping Headquarters

## For Norwich and All Eastern Connecticut

The Spirit of Christmas that fills this store making shopping here a pleasure, finds expression on every floor of this big holiday store. Christmas stocks will be at their best today—save time and worry by making your holiday selections today.

## Santa Claus In Our Large Window

Santa Claus will be in our large show window every day from now until Christmas. Morning hours: 10.30 to 12.00—Afternoon hours: 2.30 to 5.00 o'clock. Bring the children to see him.

## LARGE SIZE COATS at \$79.50

ALL WITH HANDSOME FUR COLLARS—FOR WOMEN WHO REQUIRE LARGE SIZES

An advantageous purchase, this week, from a manufacturer who makes a specialty of out-size garments, enables us to make this offering. The Coats are in black, navy and brown, with Beaver and Fox collars, all 52 inches long, with full sweep, sizes 42 1/2 to 48 1/2—Exceptional value

At \$79.50

## Sport Coats \$39.75

Women's Sport Coats, with double Raccoon Collars—very special value at \$39.75.

## Women's Suits

We are now offering our entire stock of Women's Suits at exactly cost prices. A great opportunity for the woman who needs a new suit.

## Gift Suggestions

Women's new Over-Blouses of Matalasse, Persian Prints and Beaded effects—at \$4.95, \$5.95 and up to \$9.75. Women's Shoulder Shawls and Square Shawls—at 98c \$1.75 and up to \$4.98.

## Gifts for Kiddies

Knit wearables of all kinds, rattles and trinkets, bath robes for children 1 to 14 years, brush wool sweaters sets—also new bloomer dresses, ages 2 to 6, at \$1.95 to \$3.95.

## EXTRAORDINARY OFFERING

### 720 PAIRS OF CHILDREN'S WOOL GOLF HOSIERY

### AT 39c A PAIR

These come in a big variety of heather mixtures, sizes 7 to 10. At 39c a pair they will go quickly—so don't delay—make your selection today.

(SPECIAL TABLE—MAIN AISLE)

## EXTRAORDINARY SPECIAL VALUES

### FOR SATURDAY

### From Our Domestic Department

36-inch, fine quality English Nainsook, one of the best grades—in pieces of 8 yards each—regular value 50c—Special price a yard ... 29c

250 yards more of that wonderful Linen Scarfing that we sold last week—18 inches wide, natural shade only—all in 3-yard lengths, regular value 69c—Special price a yard ... 49c

10 dozen extra large size Jacquard Turkish Towels, excellent grade of Terry Cloth, heavy, soft and absorbent, in pretty wreath designs, borders of pink and blue, value \$1.00—Special price ... 69c

25 dozen real Madeira Lunch and Tea Napkins (a similar lot to one we sold out so quickly a few weeks ago), some with plain rose scallop, others with neatly embroidered corners—Special price a half-dozen ... \$2.98

Size 22x22, all Linen Napkins of a heavy grade of Irish Linen, all in the old-fashioned "snow-drop" pattern, value \$9.50—Special price a dozen ... \$5.95

25 real Madeira sets, thirteen pieces, absolutely pure Irish Linen, in neatly embroidered "seed" design, value \$7.95 a set—Special price \$5.95

50 pairs of gray and tan "Woolnap" Blankets, fine large sizes, first quality, finished with pretty contrasting borders, value \$4.50—Special price a pair ... \$2.95

25 pairs of size 11-4 "Beacon" Plaid Blankets, full double-bed size, assorted color combinations, value \$5.00—Special price a pair ... \$3.95

25 double-bed size Comfortables, assorted colors, pure cotton filling, with attractive coverings, both sides alike, value \$6.00—Special price ... \$3.95

25 double-bed size Comfortables, all wool filling, attractive self-border effects to match the ground work, value \$6.98—Special price \$4.95

## AGAIN TODAY

### WOMEN'S SPORT HOSIERY

### 59c A PAIR

This assortment includes black, cordovan, gray and navy, in heavy weight rib, as well as a number of heather mixtures—all at 59c a pair, actual value up to 95c. (Special table—Main aisle)

## WOMEN'S SPORT HOSIERY

ALL-WOOL, ALL-WORSTED, SILK AND WOOL, CASHMERE AND HEATHER MIXTURES Women's Wool Sport Hosiery, plain and ribbed, heather mixtures—Price a pair ... 95c

Women's English Wool Ribbed Sport Hosiery, our own importation, value \$1.50—Special price ... \$1.29

Women's English Wool Ribbed Sport Hosiery, our own importation, value \$1.50—Special price ... \$1.48

Women's English Wool Ribbed Sport Hosiery, light and dark colors, our own importation—Special price ... \$1.95

Women's Full-fashioned English Cashmere Hosiery, with hand clox, in black and assorted colors—Special price ... \$2.50

Women's Full-fashioned English Wool Hosiery, with hand clox, heather mixtures—Special price ... \$2.95

Women's Silk and Wool Sport Hosiery, all the new heather mixtures, regular \$1.75 value, at ... \$1.48

Women's Silk and Wool Sport Hosiery, with hand clox, heather mixtures, regular \$2.25 value \$1.95

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR WOMEN

### Silk Petticoats

Women's Silk Petticoats, in Taffeta, Jersey top with Taffeta or Satin flounce, also all Jersey and Radium Silk, in regular and extra sizes—Price range \$2.98 to \$3.98.

### Sateen Petticoats

An excellent line of Sateen and Heatherbloom Petticoats, in regular and extra sizes, in black and colors—Price range \$1.00 to \$2.50.

### Silk Underwear

Women's Silk Underwear, including Camisoles, Gowns, Envelope Chemises, and Bloomers, in flesh, white, orchid and honey dew. Radium Silk and Crepe de Chine—Price range from 98c for a Silk Camisole, all the way up to \$10.50 for a handsome Chemise.

### Bath Robes

Women's Beacon Blanket Bath Robes, in sizes 36 to 46, at \$3.98 to \$9.98—extra sizes, 48 to 54, at \$7.98.

### Women's Kimonos

Women's Kimonos, in box-loom and Serpentine Crepe, in a big variety of styles, colors and patterns, at \$2.98 to \$5.98—also an excellent line of Silk and Corduroy Robes, at \$2.98 to \$5.98.

### Outing Gowns

Women's Outing Flannel Gowns, colored stripes with collarless necks, sizes 36 to 44, at \$1.25. White Outing Flannel Gowns, with or without turn-over collar, at \$1.50—Extra sizes, both colored and white Gowns, at \$1.98.

### House Dresses

Women's House Dresses, in regulation and bungalow styles, in a big assortment, sizes 36 to 46—price range \$2.50 to \$4.25.

### Women's Cardigans

Women's Cardigan Jackets, warm and serviceable, black and gray, sizes 36 to 48—Prices \$2.50 to \$3.25.

## SPECIAL VALUES IN BOYS' WEAR

Boys' Winter Caps, with inside fur bands, regular \$1.50 value at ... \$1.00

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Boys' Plush Hats, with ear muffs, regular \$1.49 value at \$1.00

Boys' V neck, Slip-on Sweaters, collarless, regular \$7.00 value at ... \$5.50

Boys' heavy Slip-on Sweaters, with collar, regular \$9.00 value at ... \$7.50

Boys' Jersey Suits, sizes 3 to 8, regular value \$5.00 ... \$3.95

Boys' Corduroy Suits, sizes 7 to 17, regular value \$12.00 ... \$9.00

Boys' sheep-lined Coats, extra good values, at \$9.50, \$7.50 and \$6.50

Boys' "Patrick" Mackinaws (the best made) sizes 12 to 18, regular value \$17.00—Special price ... \$15.00

Boys' winter Overcoats, sizes 3 to 8—extra good values at \$12.00, \$8.50 and ... \$4.95

Boys' winter Overcoats, brown mixtures, sizes 12 to 18, regular value \$12.50—Special price ... \$10.50

## THE DOLL SHOW

Big Dolls, little Dolls, Dressed Dolls, Undressed Dolls—a great assortment. We feel that no better or more carefully selected line of Dolls will be seen this season anywhere. All the best makes of Dolls are here to greet you in a full line of sizes and prices.

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR MEN



A very popular section of the Store these days is our "Men's Store." Here you will find a wide range of most giveable articles for Men—goods of dependable quality and always at right prices. These brief suggestions:

### Men's Cuff Buttons in holiday boxes

—at 50c and \$1.00 a pair.

Men's Belts with Sterling buckles, at \$2.00—other Belts with buckles at 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Initialed Buckles for men's belts at \$1.00.

Boys' Silk and Knit Ties, a good assortment—at 50c.

Men's Silk and Knit Ties, newest shapes—at 50c, 75c and up to \$2.00.

Men's Scarfs, in Silk, in Fibre, and in Wool, all in holiday boxes—at \$1.50 to \$5.00.

Men's Handkerchiefs in boxes, at 4 for 60c—at 4 for \$1.00.

Men's Wool Hosiery, all styles, dress or sport Hosiery—39c to \$7.00 a pair.

Men's "Phoenix" Silk Hosiery, black, navy and brown—75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50

Men's All-Wool Knit Gloves—at \$1.00 and \$1.50.

Men's Gloves in mochas, suedes, capeskin buck, etc., including fur-lined, all colors—\$1.50 to \$7.00.

Men's Umbrellas, a good assortment—\$1.50 to \$5.00.

### Holiday Sets

Men's Arm Bands, Hose Supporters, and combination sets—all in holiday boxes.

Arm Bands—10c and 25c. Hose Supporters—35c, 40c and 50c. Supporters in holiday boxes—50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Supporters and Arm Bands—50c and 75c

Men's Belts and Supporters—\$1.00 and \$1.50.

Suspenders and Supporters—\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Men's "Eagle" Shirts, new styles, in holiday boxes—\$2.00 to \$5.00.

Men's Silk Shirts, in plain colors and fancy stripes—\$5.00 to \$8.00.

Men's "Tom Shine" Sweater Coats—a most acceptable gift—Special value at \$3.79.

Men's Bath Robes, newest patterns and colorings, all sizes—at \$5.00 to \$15.00.

Men's Smoking Jackets, all sizes—at \$10.00 and \$12.00.

Men's Traveling Bags, black and brown—at \$10.00 to \$30.00.

Likely Trunks and Wardrobe Trunks—at \$15.00 to \$50.00.

## Just Received—Now on Sale

### TOM SHINE SWEATER COATS

These come in Brown Heather, sizes 34 to 46—they are very special value at ... \$3.79

IN MEN'S DEPARTMENT

## A Universal Gift

The universal gift is Handkerchiefs. Our stock is now complete—in kinds and prices. We are particularly strong in our showing of Men's and Women's Plain Linen Handkerchiefs. Handkerchiefs make very popular presents and you cannot find anywhere a more comprehensive assortment of fine qualities and low prices than we are offering.

## Women's Silk Hosiery

We make a special holiday showing of Women's Silk Hosiery—exclusive styles to be found nowhere else. We sell the well known Phoenix, McCallum, Gold Stripe and other good makes in Silk Hosiery, for women—black, white and all the fashionable colors.

## Ribbons For Xmas

Our Ribbon Department is prepared to supply all demands which the holiday season may require. We show Ribbons in all widths from the narrow Baby Ribbon up to the widest, and for every purpose. A splendid showing of Hairbow Ribbons, just the right length for Hairbows, in plain moire and handsome novelty effects.

## Linens For Gifts

A wonderful array of Christmas Linens, comprising Table Linen Sets of Cloth and Napkins; Towel Sets, consisting of Linen Towels, Turkish Towels, Etc.—also Bath Rugs, Bureau Scarfs, Glove and Handkerchief Cases, Doilies, Center Pieces, Etc.—all attractively boxed for Christmas giving.

## Gifts For Infants

If you have in mind a present for a baby, come right up to our splendidly equipped department of Infants' Goods, on the Second Floor. A regular little store in itself, where we specialize in Baby Playthings and Baby Furnishings—including Knit Leggings, Sacques, Booties, Sweater Coats, Trinkets, Etc.

## Art Goods Section

In our Art Goods Department there is a wealth of Christmas suggestions: Felt Slippers for women and children at 80c; Satin Quilted Slippers at \$1.75; Sweet Grass Baskets and Novelties at 10c to \$4.50; Fancy Pin Cushions at 98c to \$1.25; Ivory Novelties in Sewing Sets and Pin Cushions at 39c to 89c; and hand-embroidered finished models at \$3.98 to \$20.00.

## Useful Gift Goods

Throughout the store are hundreds of articles of utility that would make the best kind of Christmas gifts for every member of the household. You should walk through the store and see the many useful and acceptable gift articles that are displayed on all sides.

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